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**CONTINUATION-IN-PART**  
**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**Box Patent Application**  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Continuation-in-Part patent application:

Inventor(s): David S. Soane, Michael R. Houston and Toshiaki Hino  
for the invention entitled: "Near-Net-Shape Polymerization Process and Materials  
Suitable for Use Therewith"

1. This application is a continuation-in-part of co-pending prior application:

Serial No.: 09/511,661  
Date Filed: 02/22/2000  
Group Art Unit: 1711  
Examiner: Jeffrey Mullis

The prior application is presently assigned to: ZMS, LLC

2. Enclosed are the following:

Application Data Sheet (3 pages)  
 Specification having 28 pages, including 20 claim(s) and an Abstract  
 Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages)  
 Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  
 Fee Transmittal Sheet  
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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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\$412.00

## Complete if Known

Application Number	not assigned
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First Named Inventor	David S. Soane
Examiner Name	not assigned
Group Art Unit	not assigned
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee		370.00	
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee			
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee			
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee			
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee			
SUBTOTAL (1)				\$370.00	

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND

Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims 20	-20** = 0	X 0.00 = 0.00
Independent Claims 4	- 3** = 1	X 42.00 = 42.00
Multiple Dependent		

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)		\$42.00

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## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
139 130	139 130	Non - English specification			
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month			
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month			
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month			
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month			
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month			
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal			
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing			
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional			
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee			
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee			
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(q)			
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement			
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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SUBTOTAL (3) \_\_\_\_\_

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